

Thank you for your consideration.

Chapter 16

1. I know that you build on the history from other grades but review questions are necessary. Students don't remember the colonial time or 1800s from 5th and 8th grade now.

2. In lines 49-51, it seems like you are previewing the questions for that section, but do not include **How have American freedom and slavery co-existed in the nation's past?** which is found in lines 67-68.

3. Can we use another word for "stuff" in line 121?

4. Other inventions had a bigger impact on farmers than the **McCormick Reaper** which is mentioned a couple of times, including in line 148.

5. In the Great Depression section, there isn't mention of the Federal Reserve's actions or tariffs.

Civil Rights Portion:

6. 1044-45 - no disabled community?

7. 1095-96 - no Morgan v. Virginia or the girls before Rosa Parks?

8. No mention of Black Panthers?

9. No mention of KKK during this time era (only mentioned in the 10s)

10. I'm happy we focused more on LGBT issues, but you've left out so many women. You name a lot more LGBT leaders than women and in reality, these women are more well-known (Gloria Steinem, Shirley Chisholm, etc.). Don't overcompensate with one and leave another out instead. The same goes with the American Indian Movement.

11. Modern - shouldn't we be including the following by name:

- Persian Gulf War
- Operation Iraqi Freedom
- Operation Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan)
- Bosnia
- Somalia
- Prop 8/6
- Black Lives Matter
- Tea party
- Occupy Wall Street
- Supreme Court's role in the 2000 Presidential Election
- Affordable Care Act
- Oklahoma City bombing
- School shootings/ gun control

Thank you,

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